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For: FULLY-THREADED SUTURE ANCHOR
WITH INSERT-MOLDED SUTURE

Examiner: N. Pous

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated November 21, 2007, please
reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in view of the following remarks: